This week's merit certificates are awarded to; FS2 – Rupert Yr 1 & 2 – Elsie and Gaia Yrs 3 & 4 – Beau and Tom Yr 5 – Rose Yr 6 – Jack B Music Merit – Bonnie





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Dates for your diary

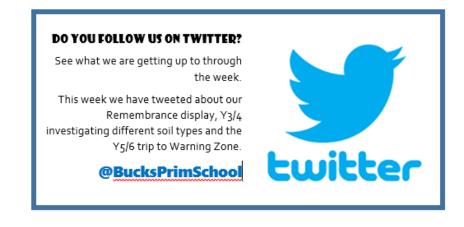
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	- Anti Bullying Week - Some Year 5/6 Basketball Tournament in Bottesford
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup> November	- Some Year 3/4 Football, Allington at Buckminster. After School until 4.15pm. Parents welcome to spectate.
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup> November -	
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup> November -	
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup> November – Children in Need/Non Uniform/Crazy Hair Day! See details below.	
-	6.30pm PTFA Meeting at the Tollemache Arms All Welcome

"Buckminster School, where children become Inspirational Learners"

Anti Bullying Week 11<sup>th</sup> to the 15<sup>th</sup> November

The children will have activities and be given information in class all week, to raise awareness of the effects of bullying.

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#### Inspire+ Assembly - Lizzie Simmonds - Olympic Swimmer

We were fortunate as part of our Inspire+ Membership to have Lizzie Simmonds visit School on Tuesday to talk to the children during assembly and share her knowledge and inspiration.



#### Sporting Success



Sam has achieved his Stage 6 and Charlie has achieved his Level 8 in Swimming.

Sam was awarded Player of the Week and Charlie was also awarded the Star of the Week at Football.

What a great week! Well done to both of you.

#### Warning Zone Trip Year 5/6

An early start on Wednesday for Year 5/6 as they headed towards the Warning Zone for a super day of exploring, thinking and talking about dangers facing us all in the outside and online worlds. Great to see so many children responding to the different zones and ideas. Thank you, Lucy Wallace, for accompanying us.



Children in Need



The School Council are raising funds for Children in Need by having a Non-Uniform Crazy Hair Day on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November.

In exchange for £1.00 (minimum donation) the children can come to School in Non-Uniform and Crazy Hair.

The children can decide if they would like to do one or both.

Pre-School Stay and Play - Every Tuesday during Term Time 9.00am - 10.30am



11+ Club

The Pre-School Stay and Play sessions are open to all and it is £2.00 per family which includes a hot drink and a biscuit for the adults and milk and a biscuit for the children. The sessions are on from 9.00am until 10.30am every Tuesday during term time. We hope to see lots of you at the next session!

Friday morning 11+ club will continue to run until the last session which will be the 6<sup>th</sup> December 2019.

We will then start again on the first Friday after February Half Term being Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2020 at 8am.

## PTFA Meeting – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November – 6.30pm – Tollemache Arms, Buckminster

We would like to welcome you all to the next PTFA Meeting which is being held on Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November at 6.30pm at the Tollemache Arms in Buckminster.

Everyone is welcome and we would love to see as many of you who can make it with new ideas and experience. Plus many hands make light work!

We do appreciate all of the fundraising that the PTFA undertake which fund many of the buses/trips and resources which makes a big difference to us and benefits all of the children in the School. Thank you.

**Batteries** 



We are continuing collecting your old batteries for recycling. Please drop them off in the Office. Thank you!

### 5p Challenge



GET INVOLVE

Don't forget your 5ps for the 5p Challenge!

We need more please!

Dates (any new dates added will be underlined)

 $11^{\text{th}}\,\text{Nov}$  – Anti Bullying week

<u>11<sup>th</sup> Nov - Some Year 5/6 Basketball Competition - Bottesford - letters in bookbags 08/11/19</u> <u>12<sup>th</sup> Nov - Some Year 3/4 Football Match Allington at Buckminster.</u>

After School until 4.15pm - Parents are welcome to spectate.

15<sup>th</sup> Nov - Children in Need

15<sup>th</sup> Nov - PTFA Meeting 6.30pm Tollemache Arms, Buckminster - All Welcome

19<sup>th</sup> Nov - Rev. Rush assembly

20<sup>th</sup> Nov - Year 5/6 Allington Football - details to follow.

22<sup>nd</sup> Nov - Swimming Year 1, 2 & 3 and any Year 5

<u>26<sup>th</sup> Nov – Year 5/6 to Glenfield School for Emmanuel Jal Speech, a South Sudanese</u> <u>musician and inspirational speaker.</u>

5<sup>th</sup> Dec – Choir invited to sing by candlelight at St Mary's church Melton

6<sup>th</sup> Dec - KS2 Library Bus

 $6^{\text{th}}$  Dec – Swimming Year 1, 2 & 3 and any Year 5

6<sup>th</sup> Dec - Carols at Belvoir Castle - School Choir

11<sup>th</sup> Dec – Pre-School and Reception class Christmas productions 2pm and 6pm in School 12<sup>th</sup> Dec – School Christmas dinner

16<sup>th</sup> Dec – Yr1-6 Christmas productions 2pm dress rehearsal and 6pm performance (Buckminster village hall)

17<sup>th</sup> Dec - Yr1-6 Christmas production 6pm (Buckminster Village Hall)

19<sup>th</sup> Dec – Christmas parties in school

20<sup>th</sup> Dec – Christmas Carol Service in Buckminster Church at 2.00pm – Year R to Year 6 parents welcome (Pre-School children remain in Pre-School) **Last day of term** 

